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Players Can Win Hawkeye Hoops Tickets, Hawaii Trip

Use nonwinning \$5 Hot Lotto tickets to enter online at www.ialottery.com

A promotion from the Iowa Lottery offers players a chance to win tickets to a University of Iowa men's basketball game and a trip for two to Maui, Hawaii!

From Dec. 8 through Jan. 17, players may use nonwinning \$5 Hot Lotto tickets to enter the promotion through the Iowa Lottery's web site at www.ialottery.com. Players will enter a serial number from their nonwinning \$5 Hot Lotto ticket when they enter.

Winner Attends 2004 Maui Invitational

The lottery will have three drawings for 21 winners of two pairs of tickets to home Hawkeye men's basketball games. Those 21

winners are qualified for the chance to win a trip to Maui to watch the Iowa men's basketball team play in the 2004 EA Sports Maui Invitational basketball tournament Nov. 20 -26, 2004. The trip for two includes airfare, accommodations at the Westin Maui, welcome reception, ground transportation, a special Thanksgiving dinner, game tickets, special Hawkeye souvenirs and \$1,020 cash.

Drawings will be held on: Dec. 30 (six winners of tickets to Jan. 10 and 24 games), Jan. 8 (nine winners of tickets to Jan. 31, Feb. 11 and Feb. 14 games), Jan. 22 (six winners of tickets to Feb. 25 and 28 games) and Feb. 5 (one trip winner). See the lottery web site at www.ialottery.com for complete rules. 4



At A Glance. . .

On This Date in Iowa Lottery History . . .

Dec. 23, 1992—Ed Brown of Washington became the first Iowa winner of Powerball, claiming a \$5.3 million jackpot. Brown was very generous to the city of Washington and later was elected mayor.

Redeem Expired Coupons Promptly

When a coupon expires, it must be returned in the weekly settlement envelope for the week it expired or in either of the weekly settlement envelopes for the next two weeks.

Next "Lottery Action" Due Out Jan. 5

Because of the Christmas Day and New Year's Day holidays, the next "Lottery Action" will be distributed beginning Jan. 5. 🀔

Game End and Validation End Dates List:		Official Game End	Valid. Period Ends
Game #301	Lots O' Spots Bingo-Blue	10/07/03	01/05/04
Game #336	Lucky Stars	10/07/03	01/05/04
Game #343	Hot Cards	10/07/03	01/05/04
Game #346	Snake Eyes	10/07/03	01/05/04
Game #348	Struck By Luck	10/07/03	01/05/04
Game #358	Money Maze	10/07/03	01/05/04
Game #365	Cash Flurries	10/07/03	01/05/04
Game #369	Be Mine	10/07/03	01/05/04

Other important dates are listed on the back of this issue.

More Winners Off to Feb. Pro Football Championship

Three more Iowans have won trips to pro football's championship weekend in Houston Jan. 30 - Feb 1.

Lenroy Bright of Burlington was the fourth trip winner drawn. Lenroy has been in the United States for about two years. Previously he lived in the Virgin Islands for 26 years.

Rose J. Castaneda, 34, of Sioux City was the third winner drawn. She plans on taking her husband Jose with her on the trip.

Jo Jo Novak, 44, of Nora Springs was the second to cash in on the promotion. When Iowa Lottery officials in Des Moines called to tell him the good news, he almost hung up on them.

"He thought it was a prank call," said Karen Smith, promotions

manager for the Lottery. "I quickly asked him if he had entered the Powerbowl Sunday promotion. He said he had. He was very happy he didn't hang up!"

Novak owns two bowling alleys, one in Nora Springs and the other in Garner, and has four sons. He said he wasn't sure who he'll take with him on his trip and how he'll make that decision.

Scott Davis of Muscatine won the first prize package.

"Powerbowl Sunday" offered six prize packages, each including a trip for two to experience pro football's greatest weekend in Houston from Jan. 30-Feb. 1, 2004. Each package is valued at \$28,000.

Two more winners will be announced soon!



Start Year With Fun New Scratch Games

Ruby Red 7s

Cost: \$2

Top Prize: \$7,000 Odds: 1 in 3.82

Begin Ordering: Jan. 5



Prize	Odds
\$2	1 in 6.00
\$3	1 in 18.75
\$4	1 in 50.00
\$7	1 in 150.00
\$17	1 in 150.00
\$37	1 in 150.00
\$70	1 in 599.00
\$700	1 in 11,970.00
\$7,000	1 in 119,700.00

Players could win up to \$7,000 playing Ruby Red 7s!

If a player finds a black "7" symbol, they win the prize shown for that symbol. If they find a red "7" symbol, they win **double** the prize shown for that symbol!



Lucky Penny

Cost: \$1 Top Prize: \$500 Odds: 1 in 5.14

Begin Ordering: Jan. 5

Find a "Penny"	and	you're
an instant winner!		

Match any of "Your		
Numbers" to the "Lucky	Prize	Odds
Number" and win the prize		
shown for that number. Find a	\$1	1 in 7.50
"Penny" symbol and win that	\$5	1 in 18.75
prize instantly!	\$10	1 in 300.00
F	\$20	1 in 450.00
	\$40	1 in 450.00
	\$500	1 in 59,850.00

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2004	14 THERE'S A HOLIDAY NEXT WEEK. CHECK WITH YOUR DSR FOR DELIVERY	15	16	17	18	19	20
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2	21 THERE'S A	22	23	24	25	26	27
•	HOLIDAY NEXT WEEK. CHECK WITH YOUR DSR FOR DELIVERY SCHEDULE.				HOLIDAY— LOTTERY OFFICES CLOSED		
	28	29	30	31	Jan. 1	2	3
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Sioux City Woman Keeps Show Appearance Secret

Heidi Millard of Sioux City said she never told her daughters about her trip to Las Vegas for the taping of "Powerball Instant Millionaire" because she wanted her television appearance to be a surprise.

"They think I just went out of town for the weekend," she said with a laugh after taping the Dec. 13 episode of the weekly game show at The Venetian resort, hotel and casino in Las Vegas.

Millard, 29, who is a comanager and cosmetologist at a salon, won \$5,035 on the show and nearly made it into the final round, where players try for the top prize of \$1 million.



Heidi Millard of Sioux City

"I picked the wrong ball, but I'm not disappointed at all," she said. "This was a wonderful, wonderful opportunity." **4**

Waverly Man Gets Early Christmas Gift From 'Santa'



Ed Chesnut of Waverly

A Waverly man changed his lottery playing habits and as a result, won \$12,000 cash for the upcoming holiday season.

Ed Chesnut, 67, said he usually plays the "Crossword" instant-scratch game. But, he won \$48 the day before on a "Secret Santa" scratch ticket, so he decided to try it again.

"As soon as I scraped it off, I said, 'Holy cow!" he said. "I looked for the manager right away ... and I had to show him."

Chesnut purchased his winning ticket at Regal Liquor, $121\ 20^{th}$ Street N.W. in Waverly. He claimed his prize at the Iowa Lottery's regional office in Cedar Rapids.

"It'll go to a good cause somewhere. I don't know if I'll invest it or I might look for another pickup [truck]. I don't know," Chesnut said. He thought his wife might like a computer, too.

Three Iowans Win \$100,000 Prizes

Three Iowans claimed \$100,000 Iowa Lottery prizes on the same day.

Leaward Bauers of Altoona, Vicky Epping of Des Moines and Sue Kraus of Mason City each claimed \$100,000 prizes. Bauers won his \$100,000 prize in the Powerball game while Epping and Kraus both won the top prize in Iowa's \$100,000 Cash Game. Each prize was won on a different day, but all were claimed Dec. 1.



Leaward Bauers of Altoona

Bauers, 50, who works at an office furniture store, said he plans to use his winnings to pay bills and "just have a great Christmas."

Bauers bought his winning ticket at the Git-N-Go Convenience Store at 2221 Adventureland Dr. in Altoona. Bauers' ticket matched the first five numbers but missed the Powerball for a \$100,000 prize. He did not choose the Power Play option, which would have multiplied his prize to \$500,000.



Vicky Epping of Des Moines

Epping, 35, who works at Target, said she and her husband Doug won their \$100,000 prize in the \$100,000 Cash Game drawing on Thanksgiving Day.

"We're going to have a very nice Christmas, maybe a nice vacation next summer for our family," Vicky Epping said.

Epping bought her winning ticket at the Quik Trip at 2300 E. 14th St. in Des Moines.

A Mason City woman also claimed a \$100,000 prize.

Sue Kraus won the top prize in Iowa's \$100,000 Cash Game on a ticket she bought at the supermarket where she works. Kraus, 53,

said she had just gotten off work when she checked her tickets.

"There's not been one person that hasn't congratulated me and said they were glad they knew somebody that won something!"—Sue Kraus

"I turned around and said,
'Oh my gosh!'" she said. "The
store manager was standing there
and nobody could believe it. Then
he announced it to the whole
store!

"There's not been one person that hasn't congratulated me and said they were glad they knew somebody that won something," she said.

Kraus bought her winning ticket at Hy-Vee at 2400 Fourth St. S.W. in Mason City for the \$100,000 Cash Game drawing on Nov. 26.

Kraus said she plans to use her winnings as a down payment on a house.



Sue Kraus of Mason City

Clip and Save

CLASSIC BINGO-Orange

SECRET SANTA

SHELL GAME

GOLDEN RICHES

DASHING THROUGH...DOUGH

HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS ACE IN THE HOLE

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	345 DOLLAR SIGNS 335 LUCKY DAY 342 STINKIN' RICH 351 WHOOP DE DOUGH 355 ACES HIGH 354 TOP BANANA	05/23/02 05/13/02 06/27/02 07/29/02 08/12/02 08/26/02 10/21/02	336 LUCKY S 343 HOT CAI 346 SNAKE F	RDS EYES BY LUCK	3/18/ 03/04/ 04/22/ 05/20/ 06/10/ 09/16/	02 02 02 02
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İ	386 ROCK PAPER SCISSORS 393 SUPER SLOTS 382 MONEY BAGS	07/28/03 07/28/03 08/18/03	Hot Lotto	Wednesday and Saturday	7:59 p.m.	10:00 p.m.
	394 CASH ZONE 395 DOG-GONE LUCKY 396 DOUBLE BLACKJACK-Pur 397 COUNT CASHULA		\$100,000 Cash Game	Monday through Saturday	6:18 p.m.	6:28 p.m.
	400 VENETIAN NIGHTS 392 FIND THE 9'S 404 TRUCK & BUCKS	09/29/03 10/20/03 10/20/03	Pick 3 and Pick 4 midday	Monday through Saturday	12:30 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
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301	LOTS O' SPOTS BINGO-Blue	03/18/02	01/05/04
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343	HOT CARDS	04/22/02	01/05/04
346	SNAKE EYES	05/20/02	01/05/04
348	STRUCK BY LUCK	06/10/02	01/05/04
358	MONEY MAZE	09/16/02	01/05/04
365	CASH FLURRIES	12/02/02	01/05/04
369	BE MINE	01/27/03	01/05/04

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Hot Lotto	Wednesday and Saturday	7:59 p.m.	10:00 p.m.	11:45 p.m.
\$100,000 Cash Game	Monday through Saturday	6:18 p.m.	6:28 p.m.	6:40 p.m.
Pick 3 and Pick 4 midday	Monday through Saturday	12:30 p.m.	12:40 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
Pick 3 and Pick 4 evening	Sunday through Saturday	7:59 p.m.	9:20 p.m.	9:40 p.m.
Powerball	Wednesday and Saturday	7:59 p.m.	9:59 p.m.	11:40 p.m.